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**VIA ELECTRONIC FILING**

The Honorable Jocelyn G. Boyd  
Chief Clerk / Administrator  
Public Service Commission of South Carolina  
101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100  
Columbia, SC 29210

Re: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC Annual Review of Base Rates for Fuel Costs – Docket No. 2018-3-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Pursuant to Order No. 2018-652, Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (“DEC”) notifies the Commission that DEC’s Adjustments for Fuel, Variable Environmental, Avoided Capacity Costs and Distributed Energy Resource Program Costs, Leaf 50C, 2018 Renewable Net Metering Rider RNM Tariff, and all other affected retail tariffs have been electronically filed in the Commission’s E-Tariff system.

DEC provides the following reconciliation of each tariff rate change approved to each tariff rate revision filed in the E-Tariff system with an explanation of any differences.

Fuel Rates			
	<u>Fuel</u>	<u>GRT* Multiplier</u>	<u>Tariff</u>
Residential	2.1094	1.004450	2.1188
General/Lighting	2.1004	1.004450	2.1097
Industrial	2.0721	1.004450	2.0813

DERP Charge			
	<u>Charge</u>	<u>GRT* Multiplier</u>	<u>Tariff</u>
Residential	0.89	1.004450	0.89
Commercial	4.28	1.004450	4.30
Industrial	99.56	1.004450	100.00

\*Gross Receipts Tax and Regulatory Fees



### Fuel Rates

The Fuel Rates in the first column in the table above entitled "Fuel" show the fuel factors exclusive of the Gross Receipts Tax and Regulatory Fees ("GRT"). The Factors in this first column also match the data on Leaf 50C.

The fuel factors in the third column of the table above entitled "Tariff" show the factors including the GRT. Since the fuel factor is one component of the overall energy rate that a customer is billed, the GRT was not included on Leaf 50C.

### DERP Charge

The DERP Charges in the first column entitled "Charge" show the charges exclusive of the GRT. The charges in the first column are different than those on Leaf 50C, which includes the GRT.

The DERP Charges in the third column entitled "Tariff" show the charges including the GRT and are the same charges as those on Leaf 50C. GRT was included in the charges on Leaf 50C to avoid customer confusion since the DERP charge is an individual line item on customer bills.

DEC provided the tariffs to the South Carolina Office of Regulatory Staff for its review in advance of this filing.

Please feel free to contact me should you have any questions or concerns.

Kind regards,

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